

Continuous Power Series

User's Manual

MCP 6001 MCP 10001



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1. INTRODUCTION

1.1 EXPLANATION OF SYMBOLS

Some or all of the following symbols may be used in this manual or may appear on your unit. Please take a moment to familiarize yourself with these symbols and their associated meanings.

Sy	mbols and Their Meanings
Symbol	Description
\triangle	Attention or consult accompanying documents
A	Dangerous voltage
	On (power: connection to the mains) or output enabled
J	Stand-by
\langle	Alternating current
	Direct current
	Protective earth (ground)
	Alarm silence
%	Overload
$\neg \vdash$	Battery check
	Recyclable
	Do not dispose with ordinary trash

1.2 SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

The MCP SERIES UPS is an advanced True On-Line sinewave Uninterruptible Power Supply (UPS) with automatic bypass. It provides reliable, regulated, transient-free AC power to your sensitive equipment, ranging from computers and telecommunication systems to computerized instruments. Because the UPS is in the on-line topology type of design, conditioned power is provided continuously to its connected devices. Unlike standby UPS's, its on-line structure always regulates and filters output power when commercial power is present. During line power failure, the unit employs its internal maintenance-free battery to supply back-up power without any transfer time. In the event of an overload or inverter failure, the UPS will transfer to bypass mode as an alternate source. The UPS can transfer back to the inverter mode automatically after the overload condition has been cleared. All transfers noted above occur with zero transfer time that can ensure your equipment's continuous operation.

1.3 PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS

ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Model	Power	Freq.	Input		Output		
No.	Rating	(Hz)	Voltage	Current	Voltage	Current	
MCP 6001	6KVA 4.2KW	50/60	170-276 VAC	33A	120, 120/120, 208, 120/208, 240, 120/240V	50, 25/25, 28.8, 25/28.8, 25, 25/25A	
MCP10001	10KVA 7KW	50/60	170-276 VAC	56A	120, 120/120, 208, 120/208, 240, 120/240V	83.3, 41.7/41.7, 48.1, 41.7/48.1, 41.7, 41.7/41.7A	

INPUT

Voltage: As listed

Phase: single phase with ground Frequency: 50/60Hz +/- 5%, auto selection

Power factor: >/= 0.97

OUTPUT

Output voltage regulation: +/-3%

Power factor: 0.7 lag to unity

Frequency regulation: +/-5%, phase lock to input under normal conditions, +/-0.5% of nominal frequency,

under normal operation or battery mode.

Distortion: +/-3.0% THD at full linear load, +/-7% THD at full non-linear load

Overload Capacity: >130% +/-10% for 200 ms, 105% for 10 second

Load Crest Ratio 3:1 maximum

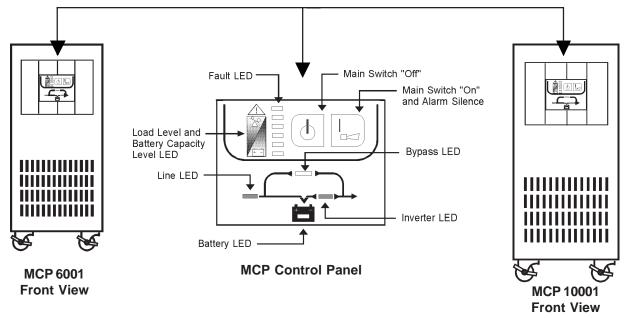
OPERATING ENVIRONMENT

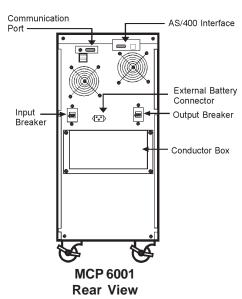
Ambient temperature: 10 to 40 degrees Centigrade
Operation humidity: 20% to 90%, non-condensing
Altitude: less than 1500M above sea level

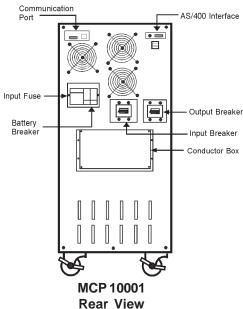
Storage temperature: -15 to 40° C

MECHANICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Model Number	Dimensions H x W x D	Weight Net (Shipping)
MCP 6001	31.5 x 10.25 x 23.25 in. 80 x 26 x 59 cm	296(311.6)lb. 134.3(141.3)Kg
MCP10001	38 x 13.5 x 26.5 in. 96.5 x 34.3 x 67.3 cm	519.6(552.2)lb. 235.7(250.5)Kg







1.4 SWITCHES AND DISPLAYS

- ON/OFF switches: Push the "ON" button until the alarm sounds to turn on UPS. Push "OFF" button until the alarm sounds to turn off UPS.
- ◆ LINE LED: This light is on when the incoming AC line is normal.
- ◆ BYPASS LED: T his light is on when the UPS is providing power directly from the incoming AC line through the bypass route.
- ♦ INVERTER LED: The light is on when the UPS is operating in "INVERTER MODE"
- ◆ FAULT LED: The light is on when the UPS is in fault condition and the alarm will sound continuously.
- ◆ LOAD LEVEL & BATTERY CAPACITY LEVEL: The lights form the bar graph indicate how much load or battery capacity is present in the UPS. Each LED represents a different level:

first LED 0-35%

second LED 35-55%

third LED 55-75%

fourth LED 75-95%

fifth LED 95-110%

The bar graph shows load level during line mode. The number of "ON" LEDs increases upwards as the load increases. The UPS will go to battery mode when AC line power fails and the bar graph displays remaining battery capacity. The number of "ON" LEDs decreases upwards with the decreasing of battery capacity.

1.5 Safety

IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

This manual contains important instructions for MCP SERIES series that **SHOULD BE FOLLOWED DURING INSTALLATION AND MAINTENANCE** of the UPS and the batteries. The sound pressure level at the operator's position is equal to or less than 60dB(A).

IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS!



WARNING: CHANGES OR MODIFICATIONS TO THIS UNIT NOT EXPRESSLY APPROVED BY THE PARTY RESPONSIBLE FOR COMPLIANCE COULD VOID THE USER'S AUTHORITY TO OPERATE THE EQUIPMENT.



CAUTION: TO REDUCE THE RISK OF ELECTRICAL SHOCK IN CONDITIONS WHERE LOAD EQUIPMENT GROUNDING CANNOT BE VERIFIED, DISCONNECT THE UPS FROM THE AC POWER OUTLET BEFORE INSTALLING A COMPUTER INTERFACE CABLE. RECONNECT THE POWER CORD ONLY AFTER ALL SIGNALING CONNECTIONS ARE MADE.



NOTICE: This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class A diigital device, persuant to part 15 of the FCC rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference when the equipment is operated in a commercial environment. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instruction manual, may cause interference to radio communications. Operation of this equipment in a residential area is likely to cause harmful interference, in which case the user will be required to correct the interference at his own expense.

This digital apparatus does not exceed the Class A limits for radio noise emissions from digital apparatus set out in the Radio interference regulations of the Canadian Department of Communications.

Le présent appeil numérique n'emit pas de bruits radioélectroniques dépassant les limites applicables aus appareils numérique de las Class A prescrites dans le Rélement sur le brouillage radioélectronique édicte par le ministerédés Communications du Canada.

PARA SYSTEMS LIFE SUPPORT POLICY

As a general policy, Para Systems Inc. (Para Systems) does not recommend the use of any of its products in life support applications where failure or malfunction of the Para Systems product can be reasonably expected to cause failure of the life support device or to significantly affect its safety or effectiveness. Para Systems does not recommend the use of any of its products in direct patient care. Para Systems will not knowingly sell its products for use in such applications unless it receives in writing assurances satisfactory to Para Systems that (a) the risks of injury or damage have been minimized, (b) the customer assumes all such risks, and (c) the liability of Para Systems Inc. is adequately protected under the circumstances.

Examples of devices considered to be life support devices are neonatal oxygen analyzers, nerve stimulators (whether used for anesthesia, pain relief, or other purposes), autotransfusion devices, blood pumps, defibrillators, arrhythmia detectors and alarms, pacemakers, hemodialysis systems, peritoneal dialysis systems, neonatal ventilator incubators, ventilators for both adults and infants, anesthesia ventilators, and infusion pumps as well as any other devices designated as "critical" by the United States FDA.

Hospital grade wiring devices and leakage current may be ordered as options on many PARA SYSTEMS UPS systems. PARA SYSTEMS does not claim that units with this modification are certified or listed as Hospital Grade by PARA SYSTEMS or any other organization. Therefore, these units do not meet the requirements for use in direct patient care.

CAUTIONS:

The UPS contains voltages which are potentially hazardous. All repairs should be performed by qualified service personnel. The UPS has its own internal energy source (battery). The output may be 'hot" even when the UPS is not connected to the AC supply.

The voltage the internal batteries create is:

Model Number	Battery Voltage
MCP6001 MCP10001	240 VDC

- For the safety of the UPS, do not connect an imbalanced load.
- An insulated grounding conductor should be identical in size, thickness, and insulation material to the grounded and ungrounded branch-circuit supply conductors. The wire, which should be green or green with one or more yellow stripes, is to be installed as part of the branch circuit that supplies the unit. Grounding conductor must be minimum #8 AWG wire.
- The grounding conductor described in the above item shall be grounded to the earth end of the protected equipment.
- ◆ These sealed non-spillable maintenance-free lead-acid batteries have pressure operated vents.
- Servicing of batteries should be performed or supervised by personnel knowledgeable of batteries and the required precautions. Keep unauthorized personnel away from batteries.
- When replacing batteries, replace with the same number of the following type: Matsushita (Panasonic) Electric Works Type LCR12V7.2P (12V 7.2 AH), CSB Battery Co., Ltd Type GP1270F2 (12V 7.0AH) or Yuasa Type NP7-12 (12V7AH).
- ◆ **CAUTION** Do not dispose of any battery in a fire as it may explode. Lead-acid batteries generate hydrogen gas. Do not smoke when near batteries.
- ♦ **CAUTION** Do not open or mutilate the battery or batteries. The electrolyte is a dilute sulfuric acid. Released electrolyte is harmful to the skin and eyes. It may be toxic. It is electrically conductive and corrosive.
- ◆ **CAUTION** A battery can present a risk of electric shock and high short circuit current. The following precautions should be observed when working on batteries:
 - Remove watches, rings and/or other metal objects.
 - Use tools with insulated handles.
 - Wear rubber gloves and boots. Wear full eye protection and protective clothing.
 - If electrolyte contacts the skin, wash it off immediately with water. If electrolyte contacts the eyes, flush thoroughly and immediately with water. Seek medical attention.
 - Spilled electrolyte should be washed down with a suitable acid neutralizing agent. Use approximately 1 pound of bicarbonate soda to approximately one gallon of water. The solution should be added until reaction has ceased. The resulting liquid should be flushed with water.
 - Do not lay tools or metal parts on top of batteries.
 - Discharge static electricity from body before touching batteries by first touching a grounded metal surface.
 - Disconnect charging source prior to connecting or disconnecting battery terminals.
 - Determine if the battery is inadvertently grounded. If inadvertently grounded, remove source of ground. Contact
 with any part of a grounded battery can result in electric shock. The likelihood of such shock will be reduced if such
 grounds are removed during installation and maintenance.

The safe and continuous operation of the UPS depends partially on the care taken by the user. Please note the following precautions:

- Do not disassemble the UPS.
- Do not place the UPS near water or in an environment of excessive humidity.
- Do not allow liquid or any foreign object to get inside the UPS.
- Do not block air vents in the front of the UPS or air exhaust holes in the back.
- Do not place the UPS under direct sunshine or close to heat-emitting source.
- For prevention of UPS failure, please do not change the voltage setting switches while thew UPS is on.

HAZARDOUS VOLTAGE

- Battery circuit is not isolated from the input voltage. There may be a hazardous voltage between battery terminals and ground. Check it before touching!
- Even after disconnection from the mains input voltage, components inside the UPS are still connected to the battery and are)a hazardous potential. Disconnect the battery supply circuit before carrying out servicing or maintenance work.

1.6 COMMUNICATION PORT

The UPS provides an RS232 serial port to communicate with a host computer. The host computer can monitor the UPS through this RS232 communication port.

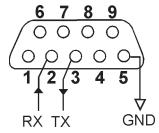
The data format of RS232 is as follows:

Baud Rate : 2400 bps Data Length : 8 bits Ending Code : 1 bit Parity Bit : none

1.7 RS-232 IINTERFACE

The following is the pin assignment and description of DB-9 connector:

Pin#	Description	I/O
2	RS232 Rx	input
3	RS232 Tx	output
5	Ground	input



2. INSTALLATION AND OPERATION

2.1 UNPACKING AND INSPECTION

Examine the packing carton for damage. Notify the carrier immediately if damage is present. Retain the packing carton for future use.

2.2 INSTALLATION

The UPS should be installed by professional service personnel. To prevent an overbalance of this equipent, the supporter must be mounted at the bottom of the enclosure. Please install the supporter to the UPS at the bottom side with six screws (see Figure 1). Install the supporter at the bottom of the UPS. With the installation of the supporter, tipping of the UPS should be prevented. The socket-outlet should be near the equipment and easily accessible.

Notes:

- The UPS should be placed in a flat location with a distance of at least 10cm from the wall to the vent. In addition, keep the UPS away from heat-emitting sources, direct sunshine, rain, or erosive gas.
- Do not place any objects on the top of the UPS.
- The function of an alarm silence is available. Users can silence the alarm by pressing the "ON" button. Press it again will re-activate the alarm (except when the battery is in low-battery mode.)
- Press the button and hold it for more than 0.5 second to ensure safe operation.

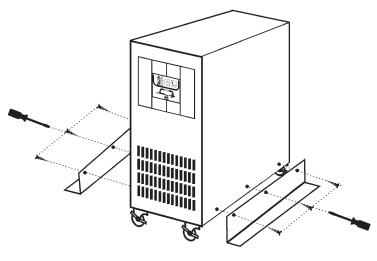


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2.3 WIRING DESCRIPTION

The wiring method for the MCP SERIES is shown in Figure A.

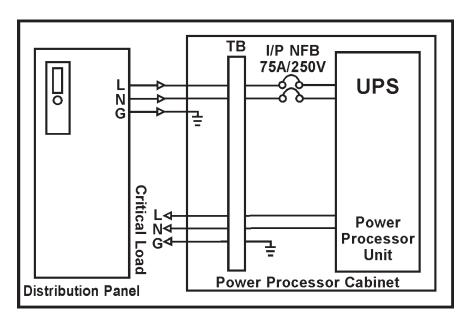
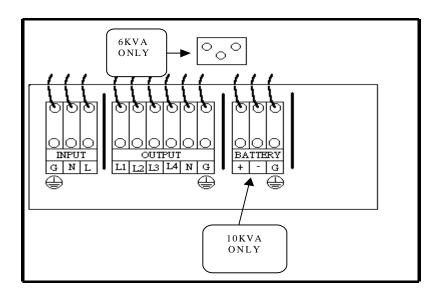


Figure A - Wiring Diagram for MCP 6001, & MCP10001

REAR VIEW

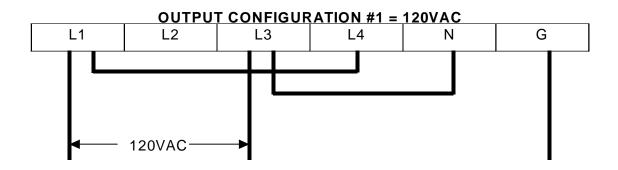
Wiring Instructions:

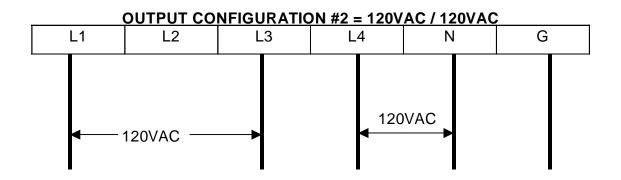
- 1. Utility panel circuit breaker required is 35A or larger
- 2. Utility wire guage must be 8 guage or larger.
- 3. Connect utility per drawing.
- 4. Connect output load connections and jumper wires for correct voltages per drawings.
- 5. Use proper size AWG wires for all connections.

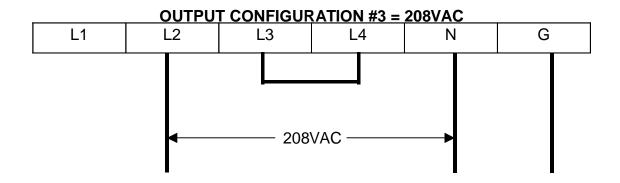


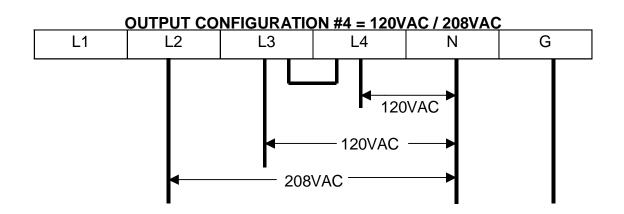
NOTE: PARA SYSTEMS DOES NOT PROVIDE AC OUTPUT OVERCURRENT PROTECTION. OUTPUT OVERCURRENT PROTECTION IS TO BE PROVIDED BY THE USER.

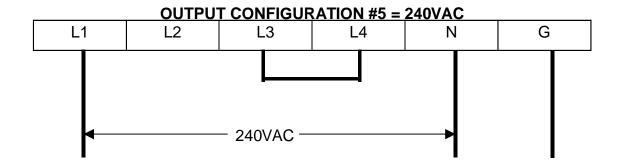
OUTPUT VOLTAGE CONFIGURATIONS

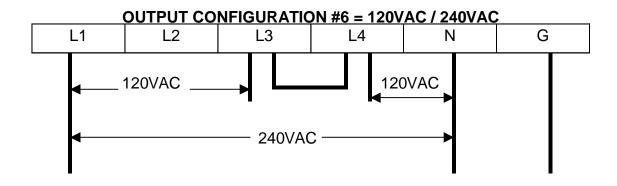












- ♦ When using an isolation tranasformer, ensure that the load is balanced.
- ♦ When using #6 AWG wire 2 in. are required for wire bending space opposite the terminals. 1 1/2 in. for #8 AWG. 3 in. for #3 AWG and #4 AWG. 3 1/2 in. for #2 AWG.
- ◆ For 6KVA output configuration #1, #2, #3, #4, #5, #6, and #7 use #6 AWG, 75°C copper wire. For 10KVA output voltage configuration #1, use #2 AWG,115°C copper wire. For configurations #2, #3, #4, #5, and #6 use #6 AWG, 75°C copper wire.

Tightening torque for pressure wire connectors having screws

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		Tig	htening torque, pound	d-inches (N-m)	
		Slotted head No. 10	(4.7mm) and Larger		
	at is to be used on of the unit	Slot width - 0.047 in. (1.2mm) or less, and slot length - 1/4 inch	Slot width - over 0.047 in. (1.2mm) and slot length - 1/4	_	ead - external set wrench
		(6.4mm) or less	inch (6.4mm)	Split-bolt	Other
AWG/kcmil	mm²	, ,	, ,	connectors	connection
8	8.4	25 (2.8)	25 (2.8)	80 (9.0)	75 (8.5)
6-4	13.3-21.2	35 (4.0)	45 (5.1)	165 (18.6)	110 (12.4)
3	26.7	35 (4.0)	50 (5.6)	275 (31.1)	150 (16.9)
2	33.6	40 (4.5)	50 (5.6)	275 (31.1)	150 (16.9)

Size of grounding electrode conductors (copper wire)

Maximum current rating (amperes)	Maximum size of equipment grounding or bonding conductor AWG	Minimum size of grounding electrode conductor AWG	Maximum size of equipment grounding or bonding conductor AWG
60	10	8	8
90	8	8	8
100	8	6	6
150	6	6	6

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3. TROUBLESHOOTING

The TROUBLESHOOTING CHART covers most of the difficulties you may encounter under normal working conditions.

TRO	UBLESHOOTING CHA	RT
Problem	Possible cause	Problem
"FAULT" LED lights, alarm beeps continuously	UPS failure	Call for service
Backup time is less than the rating	Battery is not fully charged, dead battery, charger failure	Recharge battery for at least 6 hours, retest the backup time. If problem remains, call for service
Buzzer beeps twice per second	Overloaded	Remove the least critical load

OBTAINING SERVICE

If the UPS requires service;

- 1. Use the TROUBLESHOOTING CHART to eliminate obvious causes.
- 2. Verify that no circuit breakers are tripped. A tripped circuit breaker is the most common problem.
- 3. Call your dealer for assistance. If you cannot reach your dealer, or if he cannot resolve the problem. call or FAX MINUTEMAN Technical Support at the following numbers: Voice phone (972) 446-7363, FAX line (972) 446-9011, e-mail: support@minutemanups.com. Please have the following information available BEFORE calling technical support.
 - A. Your Name and address.
 - B. Where and when the unit was purchased.
 - C. All of the model information on the rear of your UPS.
 - D. Any information on the failure, including LEDs that may be illuminated.
 - E. A description of the protected equipment, including model numbers if possible.
- 4. A technician will ask you for the above information and, if possible, help solve your problem over the phone. In the event that the unit requires factory service, the technician will issue you a Return Material Authorization Number (RMA #). If the UPS is under warranty, the repairs will be done at no charge. If not, there will be a charge for repair.
- 5. Pack the UPS in its original packaging. If the original packaging is no longer available, ask the technical support technician about obtaining a new set. It is important to pack the UPS properly in order to avoid damage in transit. Never use Styrofoam beads for a packing material. Include a letter with your name, address, day time phone number, RMA number, a copy of your original sales receipt, and a brief description of the trouble.
- 6. Mark the RMA # on the outside of all packages. The factory cannot accept any package without the RMA # marked on the outside.
- 7. Return the UPS by insured, prepaid carrier to:

Para Systems Inc.
MINUTEMAN UPS
1455 LeMay Drive
Carrollton, Tx. 75007
ATTN: RMA#

APPLICATION NOTES

1. START-UP

1. Turn on Input breaker and the Battery breaker (10KVA) on the rear panel after checking the power wiring. The cooling fans should be rotating and the control panel should show the display as below.

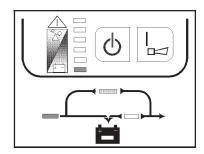


Figure 1.1-1 Bypass Mode (Load LED display depends of load level)

- 2. Then press the "I" button. After 10 seconds, the control panel will become what is shown in Fig. 1.2-1.
- 3. Turn on the output breaker located on the rear panel to provide power to the load.

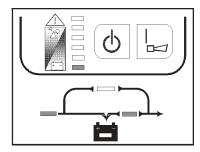


Figure 1.2-1 Inverter Mode

- 4. The UPS should be successfully started.
- 5. If the UPS is in normal operation, the user can run a battery-mode test by pushing the "ON" button. The four LED's on the lower half of the control panel (i.e. line, bypass, battery, inverter) will flash.
- 6. To turn off the UPS, push the "OFF" button, then turn off the Input breaker and the Battery breaker (10KVA).

2. OUTPUT VOLTAGE SETTING

Four voltage options are available (208V, 220V, 230V, 240V). Users can set the desired voltage through DIP SWITCHES located on the rear panel. The output voltage can be switched according to the instructions below:

- 1. Press the "OFF" button to turn off the UPS.
- 2. Switch the output breaker to the OFF position.
- 3. Turn off Input breaker and the Battery breaker (10KVA).
- 4. Wait until the fans stop turning, then switch the DIP SWITCHES to the desired voltage position. Table 2-1, also printed under DIP SWITCHES, shows these four positions and their corresponding voltage levels.
- 5. After setting the DIP switches, turn on the Input breaker and the Battery breaker (10KVA), press the "|" button and then turn on the output breaker. The voltage setting has been successfully changed when the UPS switches to INVERTER mode.

↑	\	208
\	\	220
1	1	230
\	1	240

Table 2-1

3. DISPLAYS AND ALARMS

1. Load level and battery capacity is represented by 5 LEDs on the upper half of control panel (the 6th LED means FAULT). (A). When the UPS is in the On-Line mode, the 5 LEDs represent load level. They denote 0%~35%, 35%~55%, 55%~75%, 75%~95% and 95%~105% (from buttom to top) of maximum load capacity. If the load amount reaches 105%~130%, the UPS is in overload such that the 6 LEDs would illuminate simultaneously. The UPS will then switch to BYPASS mode10 seconds later. In addition, if the load is over 130%, the UPS will switch to BYPASS immediately.

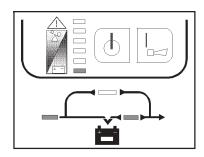


Figure 3.1-1 Inverter Mode

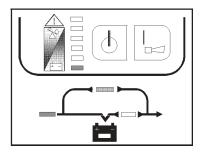


Figure 3.1-2 Bypass Mode

(B). During an AC line power failure, these 5 LEDs represent the remaining battery capacity. The LED's will extinguish by the sequence from bottom to top as the battery voltage level decreases.

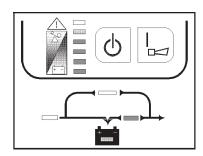


Figure 3.1-3 Battery Mode

2. An alarm will sound continuously during inverter short-circuiting or an output overvoltage condition.

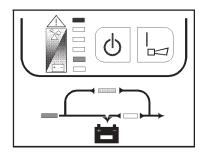


Figure 3.2-1 Line Mode

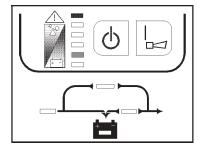


Figure 3.2-2 Battery Mode

3. An alarm will sound continuously during a bus overvoltage condition.

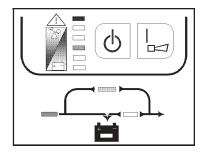


Figure 3.3-1 Line Mode

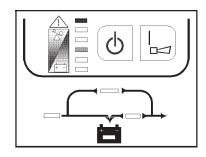


Figure 3.3-2 Battery Mode

4. An alarm sounds continuously during an over-temperature condition.

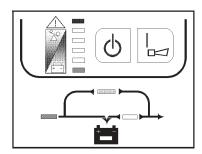


Figure 3.4-1 Line Mode

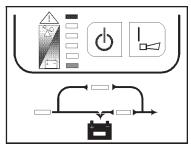


Figure 3.4-2 Battery Mode

5. Display and alarm for overload.

The alarm will sound once every 0.5 seconds during an overload condition. While in inverter mode, the alarm can be silenced by pressing the "OFF" button. In the Battery Test mode, the UPS will go to BYPASS immediately and the alarm will sound continuously.

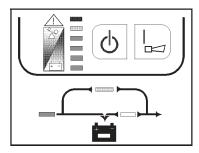


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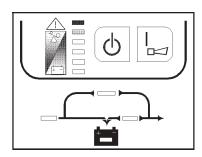


Figure 3.5-3 Battery Mode Overload

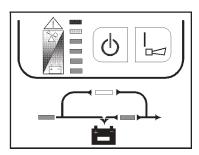


Figure 3.5-2 Inverter Mode

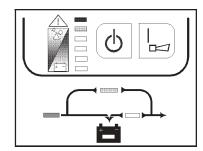


Figure 3.5-4 Battery Test

- 6. Alarm for Weak Battery or Bad Battery.
- (A) Weak Battery when the battery voltage goes below 215V, the Battery LED will flash.
- (B) Bad Battery If the battery voltage falls below 140V, an alarm will sound continuously. The Battery LED will flash and the Fault LED will illuminate and the UPS will stay in the INVERTER mode. If AC line power fails during this condition, the UPS will shut down.

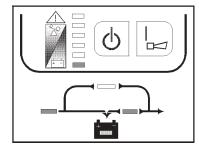


Figure 3.6-1 Weak Battery

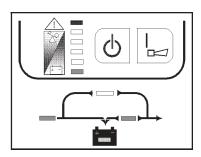


Figure 3.6-2 Bad Battery

- 7. Alarm for abnormal input voltage.
- A) During Start-up, the Line LED will flash if the input voltage drops below 185V or above 261V. Pressing the "|" button will not switch the UPS from Bypass Mode to Inverter Mode.
- (B)During operation, the UPS will switch from Inverter Mode to Battery Mode if the input voltage drops below 170V or above 276V.
- (C) In Battery Mode, the UPS does not change mode even if the line power recovers when voltage is below 170V or above 276V. If voltage is between 185V and 261V, the UPS will switch back to Line Mode.

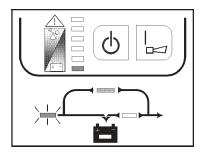


Figure 3.7-1 Bypass Mode

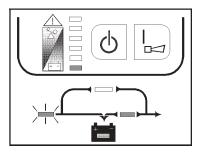


Figure 3.7-2 Battery Mode

8. Battery Mode over-voltage alarm.

When the battery voltage exceeds 300V, the alarm will sound continuously and show the display below:

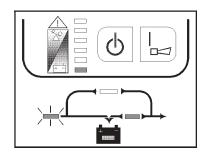


Figure 3.8-1 Bypass Mode

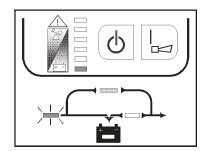


Figure 3.8-2 Inverter Mode

NOTE: In Battery Mode, the batteries are discharging, hence no alarm sounds.

9. Bypass STS short alarm.

The system will detect if the bypass STS gets shorted when the line breaker is turned on. If the STS short is detected, the display shows as below and the alarm sounds continuously.

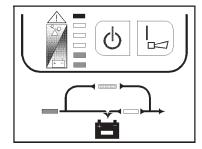


Figure 3.9 Bypass Short Alarm

10. Inverter STS short alarm.

The system will detect if the inverter STS is shorted when the "ON" button on the control panel is pressed. If the STS short is detected, the display shows as below and the alarm sounds continuously.

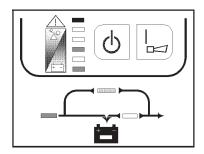


Figure 10.1 Inverter STS short alarm

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